

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.496

The USPTO is reminded that under 37 CFR § 1.496, the USPTO is *required* to take this application “out of order”.

This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)).

Respectfully submitted,

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